## SHEEP AND LAMBS

Inventory, Births, Value, and Number of Farms, January 1, 1993 - 1999, 1/

Item	Unit	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
All Sheep and Lambs 2/	Thous.	122	100	90	76	75	74	57
Ewes 1 Year and Older	Thous.	83	64	62	49	48	46	37
Rams and Wethers 1 Year and								
Over	Thous.	4	4	4	3	3	3	2
Replacement Lambs	Thous.	10	7	7	9	10	9	7
Sheep On Feed 3/	Thous.	35	26	18	17	15	16	11
Lambs Saved Per 100 Ewes								
1 Year and Older 4/	Head	124	113	131	113	135	125	113
Lamb Crop 5/	Thous.	115	94	84	70	66	60	52
Average Value Per Head	Dollars	61.00	57.00	65.00	74.00	83.00	100.00	97.00
Total Value 2/	Thous. \$	7,442	5,700	5,850	5,624	6,225	7,400	5,529
Farms With Sheep 5/	Number	2,200	2,100	2,000	1,900	1,900	1,800	1,700

<sup>1/ 1993 - 98</sup> numbers may have some revisions based on review of survey data. 2/ Excludes new crop lambs born after October 1 for years prior to 1994. 3/ Sheep and lambs being fed or pastured for slaughter market. 4/ Ratio applies to ewes 1 year and older on hand the previous January 1. 5/ Numbers apply to the preceding year.

Wool Production and Value, 1993 - 1998

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Item	Unit	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Sheep Shorn	Thous. Head	76	65	55	51	50	45	
Weight per Fleece	Pounds	6.2	5.9	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.4	
Shorn Wool Production	Thous. Lbs.	470	384	340	314	300	288	
Price per pound 1/	Dollars	0.37	0.63	0.88	0.48	0.58	0.44	
Value 2/	Thous. Dols.	174	242	299	151	174	127	

<sup>1/</sup> Price weighted by sales. 2/ Production multiplied by annual average price.

Production, Disposition, and Income, 1993 - 1998

Item	Unit	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
On Hand First of Year	Thous.	122	100	90	76	75	74
Births	Thous.	94	84	70	66	60	52
Inshipments	Thous.	3	3	1	1	1	1
Marketings 1/	Thous.	98	75	70	53	51	59
Farm Slaughter 2/	Thous.	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deaths	Thous.	20	21	14	14	10	10
Production 3/	Thous. Lbs.	8,057	6,866	5,918	5,636	5,550	4,772
Marketings 4/	Thous. Lbs.	11,105	7,890	7,905	5,660	5,610	6,730
Average Price Per 100 lbs.							
Sheep	Dollars	21.60	25.10	26.80	28.50	31.20	30.40
Lambs	Dollars	65.50	68.40	80.80	90.50	91.00	72.20
Cash Receipts 5/	Thous. Dols.	5,810	5,208	5,095	4,673	4,325	3,889
Value of Home Consumption	Thous. Dols.	156	154	165	189	211	168
Gross Income	Thous. Dols.	5,966	5,362	5,260	4,862	4,536	4,057

<sup>1/</sup> Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and state outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the state.

<sup>2/</sup> Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments. 3/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. 4/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the state.

<sup>5/</sup> Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.